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A Mighty Clearance Sale!

ROOT OUT THAT POCKET BOOK.

It's NOW or NEVER. Our Great Pre-Inventory Sale.

As is our custom at this season of the year, just before inventory, we shall commence on SATURDAY, January 24th a Clearance sale of Clothing. We are going to make such Big Cuts, such Deep Cuts, that every Clothing buyer will feel that he is doing his pocket-book a great injustice to neglect our unusual offerings.

Everything in Men's Boy's and Childrens Clothing will be sold at Manufacturers Cost

Remember, sale commences Jan. 24, and remember, also, that it will positively end Saturday, Feb. 21.

*** H. T. LOGAN. ***

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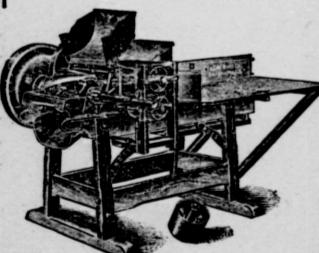
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Items of Local Interest.

Think It Funny.

Some of our newspaper friends are having a lot of fun out of our saying that we never asked or begged anyone to take The Record. This is our rule, boys, and, another thing, we have never yet continued to send the paper to anyone who has even intimated that he didn't want it. Possibly this is because we have a sympathy for those who have to read our miserable, but humble scrawlings.

Just A Word, Please.

Say, ye capitalists, will you let The Record whisper a word in your ear? Why not put some of your surplus cash in some enterprise here at home, where you know it will not take wings and fly away, and you will get a reasonable return on your money? We started to make an estimate of the amount of money lost out of Lancaster within the last ten years, and with the help of one who knows (from sad experience too) we found that enough had been lost to pave every street to the limits with 18 karat gold. Yes, it would do this, and if you will figure a little you will see where the amount reaches to almost that extravagant sum. The desire to get rich quick seems to prevail more in small towns than in cities. Now, why not invest in some enterprise that will build up the town, something that will be a benefit not only to yourself, but to those neighbors and friends whom you love? There is not a monied man in Lancaster who is a skin-flint, nor one who will not help in a worthy cause, provided he is properly approached, but there's a wheel within a wheel all around, and if the "right man" would take hold of the matter, that hotel and opera house could be rebuilt, we would have a hemp factory and many other improvements and enterprises that could be made to pay right here in Lancaster. Stand up for your town, or move out.

For Enrolling Clerk.

Miss Amy V. Lyons, of Nicholasville, is a candidate for enrolling clerk of the Lower House of the next general assembly. Being in Frankfort some time during the last session, we had occasion to see some of her splendid work, and her promptness and efficiency was highly complimented on all hands. Last week we had occasion to ask for a lot of papers and data in connection with Press Association business, and her promptness and kindness should be appreciated by the members of that body. She is a daughter of Wm. N. Lyons, an old wheel-horse in the democratic party.

Good Work.

At last meeting of the City Council it was found that the fines, etc., in the police court paid the salaries of the policemen, etc., and left more than \$100 ahead. As this is the first time this has been done for quite a spell, it speaks well for the "Big Injun" and his faithful deputy, Mat Siler.

Capt. Austin Doing Nicely.

It affords The Record much pleasure to say that its good friend, Capt. Thos. Austin, whose leg was broken some weeks since, is mending right along, and everything points to a speedy recovery. Capt. Austin is our county assessor, and a faithful officer, too.

Nothing Doing.

During all our experience in newspaper work, we have never known news to be so scarce as during the past month. Business holds up with the merchants better than in any January for several years, but everybody is saying nothing and sawing wood. We don't know but what 'tis better so.

Breaking Hemp by Fires.

A telegram from Danville says the hemp raisers in that county are experiencing a great deal of trouble in securing hands to break the weed. W. F. DeLong, however, inaugurated an invention this week and now has seventy hands employed, who are working beside blazing fires. Other farmers will adopt the same method.

Stickey" Buys Fine Gun.

Danville Advocate:—Mr. Graham Price has just received from England one of the finest hammerless shotguns that is manufactured in that country. It is the famous Thomas Kilby make and the workmanship and finish is perfection itself. He was just eight months in receiving the gun from the time the order was placed, which is indicative of the time it requires in their manufacture. The wholesale price is \$480, and a limited number of orders only are received each year.

Will Not Build.

We asked a member of the old hotel company in regard to the report that they were "figuring" on re-building. "No," he replied, "the same company will never rebuild. In the first place, I am not in favor of building anything in Lancaster until we get some fire protection. Then again, I am sore yet over the way some people talked about our building. The way some wiseacres, and their disciples talked about that house was enough to take the building fever out of any man. Then, another stumbling block is that we would not build unless we could be assured that another fire trap would not be permitted to be built alongside us. No, the present company will not rebuild, you can say, emphatically."

Sells His Farm.

Mr Joe H. Arnold sold his farm Monday to Mr J. C. Criscillus, of Madison. The place contains about 115 acres, and the price was \$42 per acre. Possession will be given February 10th. Mr Arnold will move to the old Anderson home place on Lexington pike until he selects another location. There was never a cleverer man than big-hearted Joe Arnold, and we join his legion of friends in wishing that he will remain in this neighborhood.

The Engineers Know.

When the No. 4 passenger train used to run through Lancaster, we were a frequent passenger thereon, and every time Cynthiana was reached (about 5:30 a. m.) we heard a roaring noise. One morning we slipped into the cab of the engine and asked clever Johnnie Clarke, the engineer, why he turned on his blower so heavily at Cynthiana. "Blower?" replied, Clark, "that's not the engine blower, that's Editor Jim Allen snoring." The other morning we passed Cynthiana at 8:30, and hearing the same noise, thought it too late for Allen to be in bed, so asked Engineer Billy Manson if he had his blower on at Cynthiana. "No," said Manson, "that's Editor Allen snoring." Passengers in the sleeper got to kicking on we engineers about this, and Mr. Hood had to come out and see for himself that we didn't make the noise and disturb the passengers."

High and Scarce.

Turkeys are getting scarce again and the price is higher. Time was when turkey was the cheapest meat a householder could buy. Last year the very palatable bird could be had at 12 cents a pound and that at the Christmas season, when the demand was greatest. Shortly after the Christmas season when the supply had finished, 15 cents a pound was the price.

This year there have been alarming reports about the scarcity of turkeys and fears were entertained by many that the bird would not form a part of their Christmas and New Year's dinner. This was mere talk and the only effect was a raise in price to 15 and 16 cents.

Now the merchants say that a family is at hand and the price has gone up to 20 cents, with a possible price of 25 cents a pound. With such a price there will be no more stories about the cheapest meat a householder can buy and roast turkey for dinner, cold sliced turkey for supper and turkey hash for breakfast will be no more so far as this winter is concerned.

Colored School.

The colored school will close Feb. 6th with appropriate exercises. Under the able charge of Prof. Louis Leavell, the school has done good work.

Straightening Out.

The trouble with the local railway mails has been remedied and we now have the best service it is possible to get. The mail clerks on the passenger trains got off at Rowland heretofore, and also had the mails delivered to them at that point. As the run to Lancaster is short, they didn't have time to work the mails properly in that time, so the Department ordered them to run to Stanford, and the mails are given them there in plenty time to be worked for all points along this road. While it is true the present service keeps the postmasters up a little late at points along the line, yet the trains bring mail a good many hours sooner than people would get it otherwise. The people have "caught on" to the service now and realize they have a good thing.

Judge R. P. Jacobs Dead.

News of the sudden death of Judge R. P. Jacobs, of Danville, was a shock to the many friends and admirers of that noble gentleman in this city. He had not been in the best of health for some months, but went to his office Friday and Saturday, saying to a friend that he felt better than usual. He was taken suddenly worse Saturday and expired in a very short time. The deceased was one of the most prominent citizens in the state and as a lawyer had no superiors. His opinion was sought in every matter of importance in the courts, and those who accepted his advice upon any matter never had cause to regret it. He was a gentleman of refinement, possessed of a brilliant mind and superior education. He practiced law upon the highest principles, and had the deepest contempt for those who stoop to underhanded methods in the trial of a case. In January, 1879, Col. Jacobs was elected president of the Central National Bank of Danville, to succeed the late Col. Clifton Rodes, and was continued as the president when that institution was reorganized in 1885 and denominated the Boyle National Bank. He remained the president until his death, and had served twenty-four years.

Col. Jacobs was a member of the faculty of the Central University Law School under former Gov. J. Proctor Knott, and was a member of the Constitutional Convention in 1890, receiving the place without opposition from either the Democrats or Republicans. In 1867 Mr. Jacobs was married to Miss Zillah P. Young, daughter of Dr. John C. Young, at that time the distinguished president of Centre College, Mr. Jacobs was a graduate of Centre College, and for many years had been regarded as the most profound lawyer in Central Kentucky. He is survived by his widow, but leaves no children. He leaves a vast estate.

Great Clearance Continues.

of Winter Wraps, Furs, Dry Goods

UNDERWEAR

\$2.90 for Cloak; that were \$5.00
3.85 for Cloaks that were 6.00
4.35 for Cloaks that were 7.00
5.85 for Cloaks that were 8.50
6.35 for Cloaks that were 10.00
7.50 for Cloaks that were 12.00
9.85 for Cloaks that were 15.00



\$1.00 for Fur Scarfs that were \$2.00
1.50 for Fur Scarfs that were 3.00
2.25 for Fur Scarfs that were 4.00
2.75 for Fur Scarfs that were 5.00
5.00 for Fur Scarfs that were 10.00

FUR SCARFS



\$1.00 for Skirts that were \$1.75
2.25 for Skirts that were 3.50
3.50 for Skirts that were 5.50
3.98 for Skirts that were 6.50
4.50 for Skirts that were 7.50
5.00 for Skirts that were 8.50

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CENTRAL RECORD.

LOUIS LANDRAM.

Entered at the Post Office in Lancaster, Ky., as
Second-Class Mail Matter.

Lancaster, Ky Jan. 23, 1903.

It takes a great soul to be a true friend—a large, ethatlic, steadfast and loving spirit. One must forgive much, forget much, forbear much. It costs to be a friend to have a friend, remarks the editor of the Jessamine Journal. There is nothing else in life except motherhood that costs so much. It not only costs time, affection, strength, patience, love—sometimes a man must even lay down his life for his friends. There is no true friendship without self-abnegation, self-sacrifice.

An exchange says: It may sound startling but statistics say it is true that more young men are learning trades in penitentiaries than out of them, because parents are trying to make clerks, doctors, lawyers, and even preachers, out of material intended for carpenters, blacksmiths and other trades for mechanics. The trouble is, that boys are eager to avoid the labor of life, and are too anxious to follow some calling that does not soil their hands.

At the next session of the Legislature, a bill should be passed making cigarette smoking in public places a misdemeanor. The chance of success does not appear to be very promising because so many people are not interested and are apathetic and the opposition is so deeply interested and energetic; but, just the same, cigarette smoking in public places is a misdemeanor, if not legally, at least olfactory.

At Galveston, Ind., Sunday night, a young rowdy endeavored to break up a Dunkard meeting, but the pastor's sturdy son tackled him successfully, knocked him down and fired him out in the snow. Once and a while a preacher's son is of some account.

One good thing about Congress is that it disturbs so comparatively few people. Probably half the inhabitants of the United States don't know it is in session, half of the other half doesn't care, and the remaining quarter are having a good time with the members.

The Bath county man who captured the December meteor which the Robertson county man shot on the wing, sold the gold brick to a Chicago professor, and the Cynthiana Democrat observes that Uncle Hayseed doesn't get the worst of it every time.

Six people died in Louisville from lock-jaw, caused by toy pistols. A heavy fine should be put on merchants selling the dangerous things, and a well seasoned barrel stave applied to the urchin having one in his possession.

Since the amicable seizure of sixteen car loads of fuel by the citizens of Ar-

cola, Ill., the popular local pronunciation of the name of the place is Our Coal, eh?

Don't forget that charming ballad, "In the Good Old Summer Time." Let's see, how did it go? We seem to be a bit hoarse and unable to strike the tune.

If Congress has done anything worthy of note, no one has ever heard of it. But maybe the members have been waiting until the baseball war was settled.

The man with money to burn may yet be driven to the economy of using it for fuel.

STONE.

Mrs Joe Hicks is sick at this writing.

There is a steamboat saw mill on the river.

Miss Maggie Grow is sick at this writing.

C S Sanders was in Nicholasville Monday.

Born, to the wife of Lem Teater, on 17th, a son.

H C Fowler is rejoicing over the arrival of a girl.

A little girl came to the home of Ben Sherror last week.

Mrs Malinda Preston, of Jessamine, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs Gabe Preston.

The church at this place has called Bro. Gilligan for the year, will preach the 1st Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. May God bless him in his work.

PREACHERSVILLE.

W R Brown bought a mare at the sale for \$55.50.

Mrs J J Thompson and Mrs W H Brown was visiting Mrs John Cress Monday.

B D Holtzclaw bought about 30 bbl. of corn from W H Cummins for \$200 per barrel.

Mansfee Elmore and Mrs W H Compton attended the funeral of Mrs Perkins Sunday.

W K Sutton has rented of Mrs Betts Riggs her farm and will move to the same at once.

Sam Anderson one of Garrards business traders was here first of the week looking for stock.

Miss Holtzclaw one of Lincoln county's most beautiful young ladies is visiting her sister Mrs D M Anderson.

William Walls of Garrard Co was here last week looking for a farm to buy. We hope he will locate in our midst.

The sale of the Payne heirs was well attended and every thing sold well. The place was bought by J L Hutchins for \$4,500.

Mrs Alice Perkins wife of Sim Perkins died at home Saturday. She was one of the most devout christians in the county. Peace to her memory.

Thomas Morgan who is well known died at his home near here the 16th and was buried in the cemetery there Saturday. May the kind Father comfort the bereft.

As we are intending to remove our shop, we will during the month of December, sell the

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The Garrard County Marble Works.

STANFORD STREET.

BUENA VISTA.

Chas Scott bought of G H Lane 4 meat hogs \$5.75.

Henry Smith sold 3 butcher cattle to W P Ruble for \$59.

Mr Talbert, of Louisville, has been the guest of Miss Margaret Cunningham.

Rev E M Sparks, a student at Asbury College, filled the pulpit at Boone's Chapel, Sunday.

Wm Scott and Isaiah Shearer have sold their crops of hemp to Banks Hudson at \$4.75.

Clarence Lane has returned from Louisville, where he has been spending several weeks.

W P Ruble recently shipped a mixed load of stock to Cincinnati, paying \$2 and 5¢ for hogs.

Willie, the infant of Mrs Will Gay, died Saturday morning, after an illness of several weeks.

Will Dickinson, of this place, has rented the farm of the late Coley Guley, consisting of 113 acres.

Miss Mattie Johnson, after a week visit to her sister, Mrs Preston, has returned to her work at the Lexington Asylum.

A T Scott sold to C M Scott one sow for \$21.50; also bought of Eugene Ruble one sow for \$15.

Miss Brown, of Buckeye, accompanied by Miss Kelley and Sidney Dickerson, visited the family of S W Poor, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs Maria Lane was called Sunday from Danville, where she was visiting, to the bedside of her granddaughter, Miss Pearl Ruble, who is very ill.

MANSE.

Jim Hurt, of Back Creek, is seriously ill.

Mrs Tom Howe is spending several days in Brodhead.

Dr Ramsey and family left last week for their Southern home.

Mrs Dunn, the mother of Mr Jesse Dunn, is on the sick list.

More hemp has been broken this week than for some time.

Storm parties have been entertained by most every one in the vicinity.

Mr John Reid and family have moved to their new home on Copper Creek pile.

Miss Loula McClure, of Crab Orchard, is the charming guest of Mrs Robert Arnold.

Mrs Hence Burke and daughter visited Mrs J T Palmer in your city, last week.

News has been received here of the serious illness of Mr Geo. McRoberts, of Brodhead. His daughter, Mrs Belle Henderson was unable to go to see him, owing to a violent attack of grippe.

MARKSBURY.

Miss Mary Chesnut has mumps.

A few friends stormed Misses Carrie and Mary Durham on the 17th.

Robert Rout sold to Southerners buyers a good horse for \$130.

Little Richard Harlan McGrath is recovering from his recent illness.

Mr Kinnard Bourne and wife, spent Sunday with relatives at Bettis.

Mrs N H Bogle and wife have returned from a pleasant visit to Birmingham, Ala.

Robert Fox sold to Lillard & Helm, of Danville, a bunch of fat cattle for 4¢ per lb.

Messrs Patterson and Shoemaker, of Maxville, spent Wednesday with Rev. W M Stallings.

Mrs Am Bourne and daughters, of Bettis, spent last Thursday with Mr. Kinnard Bourne and wife.

James Dye, of Nicholasville, and Miss Maggie Rogers eloped to Lexington, and were married the 15th.

The Christian Endeavors will meet Saturday afternoon with Misses Lizzie and Lula Simpson. All are cordially invited to attend.

Misses Lynne and Verdie Moss, Sue and Maggie H Atcher, and Frank Moss, of Lancaster, spent Sunday with Miss Carrie Durham.

Madams Jack Kemper, and Mag Hollens, of Danville, and Mr Will Kemper, of Nashville, were guests last Thursday of Mrs Ed Perkins.

Madams Fred Kemper and Yeager and children and Mrs Ben Hughes and little daughter, of Lancaster, spent Saturday with Mrs Margaret Sutton.

Dr H C Herring, of Lancaster, Mr Virgil Rice and sister, Miss Hallie, and Mr V H Rice, wife and little daughter, Stella V., of Lower Garrard, were entertained Sunday by Mr. T H Herring and family.

The members of the Fork church are preparing to send a box to the Louisville Baptist Orphans' Home.

Anything in the way of edibles, clothing or money will be acceptable. Please remember and bring your donation to the parsonage on Thursday, January 29.

The Same Here.

A leading Fayette farmer, speaking of the condition of the crops said, that never in his recollection had he seen the farmers in better shape or with better prospects for the coming year. He said that the tobacco crop had never been better and prices for it higher. The corn crop surpassed every expectation, while the winter grass is in splendid shape and the wheat prospects are the best in years. Although the weather has been disagreeable there has been little that was trying on stock, and because of the splendid grass comparatively little feeding has been required.

"If the farmer is ever going to be satisfied," said he, "it ought to be now." —Lex. Herald.

BRYANTSVILLE.

Born, to the wife James Campbell, a fine boy.

We are glad to report W J Hogan as convalescent.

Mr Pettus was in Somerset last Thursday on business.

Mrs R. Moss visited her sister, Mrs B M Mullins, last week.

Frank Montgomery has moved in the house vacated by Mr Collier.

Rev Gordon filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday.

Miss Sallie Wilds, of Nicholasville, is the guest of Miss Carrie Boulden.

Wood Scott, of Mt. Hebron, died last Thursday of a complication of diseases.

Miss Millie Dunn has returned home after several weeks' visit to her aunt Mrs Alice Adams.

Mrs George Higginbotham and daughter, Miss Ella, spent Wednesday with Mrs Dr Elliott.

J W Farley and daughter, Katie, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs Woolridge, at Harrodsburg.

Miss Lillian Anderson, of Danville, has been the attractive guest of her cousin, Miss Higginbotham.

James Hills has sold his farm to Jack Dunn. He is thinking of moving his family to New Mexico.

BOURNE.

Jim Shear remains quite ill at this writing.

James Middleton bought a cow of Alex Dean at 3¢.

Gilbert Turner sold a good milk cow to Ras Allen for \$25.

JUDSON.

J T Ramsey is convalescent.

Uncle Henry Huffman remains seriously ill.

It is rumored that cupid will throw a couple of darts soon, near here.

Mrs Robert Long is, by the aid of crutches able to move about the house.

Thos Lemay was kicked recently by a horse, from which he has suffered much, but is some better at this writing.

James Wallace has gone to Lexington to make it his home. Here he may succeed in the Blue Grass capitol.

Mr and Mrs Ben Shearer are rejoicing over the arrival of a twentieth century New Year's gift. It's a ten pound girl.

Hemp breaking season has come and the yield in this section will be greater than has ever been known before, the quality is first-class, one farmer is paying one dollar and ten cents per cwt., for breaking.

PAINT LICK.

Corn is selling for \$2.

R L Jennings is still closing out at cost.

Jennings & Co., are having a big clearing sale.

J S Smith has moved to the Dwight Woods place.

John Siler, who recently moved to Lancaster, is in town.

Mr Arnold is doing a nice business at the Veranda Hotel.

Ebb Anderson has returned home from a visit to Lexington.

Will Tudor has been suffering intensely with a rising in his head.

Sam Campbell and his two sisters have moved back to their old home.

Lewis Walker and J M Rothwell were in Paint Lick Monday, on business.

Ol. Terrill has accepted a position in the People's Bank, as Individual Book-keeper.

Beautiful line of Hamburgs, and Torchon Lace just received at R. L. Jennings & Co.

Most of the Paint Lick boys attended the party at Robert Ledford's Saturday night and reported an excellent time. They also attended one at Watactan Friday night.

If you are needing boots, shoes, Overcoats, blankets, underwear, or anything in heavy goods, attend the big clearing sale at Jennings & Co. You can get them at nearly your own price.

Mrs Will Gaffney is quite sick with the grippe, also her little grand son, Bennett, is very sick with pneumonia.

Margaret Highland, the little daughter of Millard Highland, is very sick of pneumonia.

Was It An Error?

Rev. Sam Jones sent out twelve hundred invitations to the marriage of his daughter, Miss Laura, to Mr. D M Flourney, of Paducah, and after they had been issued it was discovered that the printers blundered in an important feature.

Instead of saying "the pleasure of your presence is requested" they were made to read "the pleasure of your presents is requested".

Well, it is about the same thing.

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 Hemp Scales,
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 Buggy Harness,
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K. F. POSTLE.

Gossip About People

A Brief Mention of the Comings and Goings by Those We Are Interested In.

Gen. D R Collier, of Louisville, is at home.

Miss Lillie Noel is spending a week in Danville.

Miss Lizzie Brown has returned from Lexington.

Shelby Tribble, of Richmond, was here Sunday.

Miss Emma Washburn has returned from Louisville.

Mrs Ellie Bettis, of Lexington, is here for a few days.

Miss Sallie B Ray is visiting friends in Crab Orchard.

Miss Anna Noel, of Danville, is spending a week here.

Miss Rate Henry has returned from a visit to relatives in Danville.

Mrs M D Hughes is in Louisville visiting her son, R E Hughes.

Miss Dove Harris attended the Green-Embry wedding in Lexington.

Mrs Will Wallace, of Paint Lick, visited Mrs Sam Haselden, Tuesday.

Mrs Joseph Francis has returned from a visit to relatives in Richmond.

Misses Lavinia Pope and Maud Pope left this week to reside in Lexington.

Miss Helen Thurmond has been visiting Mrs U D Simpson at the Mason Hotel.

Mrs Mary Rice and Miss Hallie Rice Myers have been visiting Miss Sallie Lou Myers.

Mr and Mrs Sam Lackey, of Gallatin, Tenn, have been visiting D M Lackey and family.

Mr Johnson of Stanford, and Mr. Williams of this city spent Sunday with Mr. Miller.

Miss Lizzie Brown has gone to Lexington to attend the Christian Endeavor convention.

Miss Alberta Anderson is visiting in Lexington. She attended the Green-Embry wedding.

Mrs Benjamin Hughes and little daughter, Della Rice, are visiting relatives in Marksbury.

Mrs Dr Burnett has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in Lawrenceburg and Shelbyville.

Miss Lizzie Hudson gave a flinch party in honor of her visitor Miss Alleen Hudson, of Danville.

Mrs Charles Reid and children, o

Its A Very Important Matter.

In forming your New Year's resolutions, there is none more important than that of selecting a place to buy your Groceries. You should select a firm that will be your friend, treat you right and not try to "stick" you on prices.

But She Said Something.

A maiden fair, with sun-kissed hair, came tripping down the street; her face serene, her age 16—gee whiz, but she was sweet. On the sidewalk shoo she came down quick, with a bolt that shoo her curls, but the words she used must be excused—for she's one of the nicest girls.

An Important Suit.

The trustees of the Shelbyville Colored School have filed suit in the County Court against County Superintendent of Schools Robert A. Burton for a division of the franchise tax collected from the railroads by him. Supt. Burton claims that the tax is for the benefit of the white graded school of this city, and therefore refuses to pay any part to the colored trustees. This is the first case of the kind brought in the Kentucky courts for a division of the franchise tax, and the decision will have much to do with similar cases.

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Thanking our friends for their liberal patronage in the past and soliciting a liberal share in the future, Very Truly,

H. M. Ballou.

Reception
 The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will hold a reception Saturday afternoon at 3:00 p. m., at headquarters in Masonic Hall, in honor of the visiting State President, Mrs Francis E Beauchamp, and the newly acquired members. All friends of temperance, both men and women, whether members of the organization or not, are invited to be present.

Prizes
 Danville Advocate—President W. C. Roberts received a check from Hon. John W. Yerkes this morning for fifty dollars. The amount is to be paid to the student who makes the greatest progress during the present school session in Centre College. The student does not necessarily attain a higher mark than others in his class, but the award is to be made with reference to his progress during the year.

Mr Yerkes gave \$50 last year to be divided among the three students most in need of it, regardless of work accomplished.

Stick to Home People.

The country is overflowing with fake steel range peddlers, fake fruit tree men, fake jewelry men, fake everything whose ways are dark and whose tricks are vain, look out for them. Be on your guard. Do not permit any oily-tongued, smoothly-worded scapegoat who if his just deserts were meted out to him would no doubt be in jail, to inveigle you into signing papers about which you know nothing. You have in your own country town honest and responsible men to deal with, men whom you know will not defraud you. They are men to tie to rather than the roaming roustabout, whose sole aim is to beat the farmer, to beat anyone he comes in contact with. Patronize your home merchant.

Great Stallion to be Sold.

Richmond Climax—Mat Cohen will sell his Imported Hackney stallion; Militia 2186, in the Embry, Chenault & Turley combination sale at Madison County Stock Yards, Richmond, Ky., February 11. Militia is one of the very best breeders ever in this county, and to induce some Madison county parties to buy him, Mat will sell him on twelve months time, with good note. Imported Militia will be No. 10 in Catalogue. Mr Cohen has also received a letter from the management of the Boston Horse Show, asking him what inducements he would expect to exhibit his noted stallion, Jack O'Diamonds, at their show, which will be held from April 20th to 25th. Mr Cohen has submitted to them a proposition, the terms of which are private. This is a very high and deserved compliment.

Announcement.

As I am now receiving my Spring and Summer Samples, I take this method to inform my friends and the public generally that I am better equipped to serve them in the Merchant Tailoring line this season than ever before, and as I expect to make this a business, I shall give it my entire time and attention, and Eighteen years experience in taking measures enables me to say that no garment shall leave my place of business that is not entirely satisfactory in every way, and besides, I will save you a few dollars if you will give me your order. My last year was very satisfactory indeed, for which I thank my friends and patrons sincerely, hoping to receive their patronage again this season for which I will feel very grateful, and I will ask everyone to call and see my samples, whether they buy or not, as it is a pleasure for me to wait upon those who are interested in fine tailoring. Very truly your friend,

2 t. J. C. Hemphill.

Lawyers and Editors.

The question of the relative merits of lawyers and editors as to veracity, arose recently at a social affair, where both professions were about equally represented. Each of course, claimed the honors, but the final settlement of the question was left to a representative of each side. The representatives were to prepare essays and submit them to a committee. The best essay would decide the difference, and this was the prize essay:

"There is one editor in Heaven, though how he got there the Lord only knows, but it is supposed he rode in on the blind baggage, or got a pass. When they found him there, they tried to turn him out, but he refused to go; they then hunted all over Heaven for a lawyer to serve ejection papers, but they could not find one, so the editor held the fort, and he is there to this day."

Machinery for Sale.

One of the most up-to-date threshing rigs in the country. Practically good as new. Consists of 10 h. p. Russell traction engine and separator, self-feeder, wind-stackers, tank and pump house complete. Also good log wagon just made and good spring wagon.

O. W. Potts,
Lancaster.

Notice.

Flour and Feed Store. To our friends and Patrons owing to the delay experienced in supplying our customers in the past caused by bad weather and bad roads. We have decided to open up a general flour and feed store in the Stormer block no 108 opposite J. C. Thompson jewelry store. Phone No 100 where we will carry a full stock of high grade milling products at all times and will be enabled to make prompt delivery we respectfully solicit a continuance of a good share of the patronage of the citizens of Lancaster and Garrard County which we have heretofore enjoyed and will endeavor to merit in the future.

Very Respectfully,

1-2-3-tf Potts Bros.

Chicken Show.
 Mr R L Elkin is in Louisville attending the State Poultry show. He raises the Black Minorca breed and has taken prizes in every place his birds have been shown.

Spring Opening?

Mr. D. P. Rowland, who is representing the well known firm of L. E. Hays and Co. Merchant Tailors of Cincinnati will be with me Friday and Saturday Jan. 30 and 31 at which time he will display one of the largest lines of Spring and Summer woolens ever shown at this place, and I will ask my patrons and the public generally to call and see his goods, whether they buy or not. Remember the dates, Jan. 30 and 31. J. C. Hemphill.

Wanted, hemp. Will pay highest market price. R. M. West. Lancaster. 1-2-t-f.

Plain sewing and heavy skirts. Mr Mary E Harlan, Mrs R A McGrath, Jr., Marksbury, t.

We have the best storm aprons ever brought to this market.

12-12 Romans & Elmore.

House for rent. Possession given at once. W. J. Romans.

Hay Wanted.

The highest cash price paid for different grades of hay. See Marksbury & Son. Frank Robinson. t f

Easter Entertainment.

The Baptist Helping Hand Society will give an Easter bazaar and exchange Saturday, April 11th. Easter eggs a specialty.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred registered Berkshire Boar, one year old 24th day of October 1902, solid black, with white points, magnificent individual, Gentry stock, weight 230 lbs. J. M. Rothwell. 16-tf

Bob Taylor at Danville.

The Y. M. C. A., of Central University, has secured a date with Gov. Bob Taylor, and this gifted speaker will appear in Danville, Thursday evening, February 5. Subject, "Fiddle and the Bow."

16-tf

Phenix Flour and Feed Store.

Potts Bros. Proprietary and dealers in high grade flour, meal, graham flour, hominy, corn, oats, ship-stuff, crushed feed, screenings, field seeds, hay, straw, and etc. 1-2-3-tf

If you want to buy good merchandise cheap, attend Logan Dry Goods Co., Clearance Sale. 1-9-2t

Special low prices on Ladies Slippers during our Clearance Sale. The Logan Dry Goods Co. 1-9-2t

For Sale.

My residence on Richmond street. For particulars see L B Beazley. t f. Miss Dove Harris.

50 plain gold set rings just received price from \$2.00 to \$100.

Tompson the Jeweler.

For Exchange.

Will exchange my farm of 88 acres lying in the oil fields for a farm in Garrard. My land is within two miles of the new pipe line being laid, and within a few miles of the Wagers farm which has attracted so much attention in the oil world. Parties desiring to trade, will please describe their land, and state what improvements are on it. My 80 to 160 acres is all in one body. Address Jno. A. Gibson, Hollinsworth, Ky. t f

Examinations.

Examinations for graduation in the Common School course will be held in my office January 30th and 31st. Mrs. Lewis W. Walker, Sup't. 23-2t

Hamilton House.

Having fitted up my house for boarders and the traveling public, will try to please everyone. Call and be convinced. I. Hamilton. 1-16-2m

Trains

Leave **L**ancaster

Time **N**ov. 16

No. 10 5:14 A.M. For Richmond, Winchester, Lexington, Frankfort, Louisville, Paducah, Evansville, Cincinnati, etc.

No. 21 10:40 A.M. For Stanford, Junction City, Lebanon, Louisville, Crab Orchard, Maysville, Cincinnati, etc.

No. 11 2:30 P.M. For Richmond and intermediate stations.

No. 20 8:30 P.M. For Stanford, and way stations

Trains run daily except Sunday. Above is

leaving time. No. 10 and 11 stop at all stations when flagged.

12-12 T. H. Lee & Leavel.

You may hitch your wagon to a star, hang the ocean on a tornado to dry, wipe the dust from a cyclone with a safety razor, wear the aurora borealis for an evening gown, twist the sky into an omelette, set an earthquake to rag time, unbuckle the bellyband of eternity and open up the sun and moon as health resorts, but you cannot find another insurance company issuing as liberal accident and health policies as those written by the United States Casualty Company.

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Life Is At The Worst!

For the woman who enters on that period known as "the change." Life that has hitherto run happily and smoothly is thrown from its accustomed grooves by a sudden shock, which jars the body and distracts the brain. The suffering of women at this period varies, but while some escape with little distress, the majority of women suffer more or less acutely at this trying time.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription proves itself anew the friend of women at this crisis. It cures headache, backache, nervousness, sleeplessness and other womanly disorders, and perfectly and permanently re-establishes the general health.

A Woman's Recommendation.

"My physician said I was suffering from the effects of 'change of life,'" writes Mrs. M. Barnes, of Balls Ferry, Shasta Co., Cal. "I had heart disease and uterine trouble and rheumatism. My head was so dizzy I could hardly stand up. When I began to use Dr. Pierce's medicine I was soon rid of all these ills. I took seven or eight bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription,' a teaspoonful three times a day, and the 'Pleasant Pellets' at night. I feel as well as I ever did. I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Pierce's medicines to suffering women. I think they are the best medicines in the world. I can't say enough in their praise. The 'Favorite Prescription' cured me after I had been sick for two years so I was hardly able to be about."

The dealer who offers a substitute for "Favorite Prescription" does so to gain the little more profit paid on the sale of less meritorious medicines. His profit is your loss. Accept no substitute.



THE ART OF DRESSING.

A few of the fine features that are noticeable in the latest costumes.

We have learned the art of dressing richly without looking clumsy and ponderous. We brought all that was beautiful in our last summer's dresses into our winter styles, and we now mean to carry all that is seductive in our winter apparel into our spring and summer garments.

Skirts present an endless variety. They are tucked, yoked, box-plaited, kilted and very much flounced. They have fans of contrasting material let in at the hem and one or two double box-plaits at the back. In short all manner of skirts are worn, provided always they are full and flaring about the feet, for it is in this direction they are developing, says American Queen.

Tailored skirts are often seen buttoned down the front, at the sides or at the back. Skirts for outdoor wear are ankle length and usually have the seams ornamented with stitched bands of silk or velvet, while those for visiting and evening wear are made with trains and have the lower portion trimmed with crosswise folds of materials quite narrow or very wide, just as the wearer may prefer. Tassels, medallions of lace, perforated cloth trimmings, fur and embroidery, in which chenille, silk, and even leather are curiously mingled, compose some of the dress adornments on the newest models.

Buttons also play an important part in our dresses. Tiny gold buttons or flat passmester ones decorate our sleeves from shoulder to wrist. Tiny buttons, in sets of three, fasten the straps on our bodices and shoulders.

The bell-shaped sleeve is the favorite shape for general use.

Elaborate twists of braid form a pretty finish to folded stocks of silk on cloth or tweed gowns and a pleasing note of contrasting color can always be struck in this way.

She is a wise woman who pays great attention to her neckgear and considers it of equal importance with her hats.

Here, again, fashion has made several alterations. She now deems that our dressy hats should be worn off the face.

Hats generally are very sparingly trimmed; in fact, the less decoration the hat boasts at the present moment the more stylish is the effect; but do not imagine that this is easily arrived at. A bold outline in headgear can only be achieved by the master hand, and this must be put on with the greatest care.

Bodices are short and tight at the back, but still show a pouch in front over tight swathed bands, some of which are wider than ever.

Green still continues a popular shade for day wear—a pretty and very dark myrtle green. It is not universally becoming, except to fair people.

There is no doubt that smart dresses for the spring will show a tremendous number of flounces. If these flounces are properly graduated they add a great deal to one's importance.

It is in the graduation, however, that success or failure of a flounced skirt lies. An inch too short or too long in the front will ruin the whole effect and cut the figure in the most disastrous fashion, whereas the skillful adjustment of the same will add length and grace to the wearer.

S C Carpenter, a stock dealer of Bourbon county, has just made the largest purchase of live stock ever made at one time in Bath county for the Southern market. He purchased 60 horses and mules for \$6,310. The mules and horses will be shipped South in a short time.

J R Kimble, of Hardin county, sold to Hudson Bros., of Louisville, a pair of mules one of which weighed 1,450 pounds, the other 1,500; for \$374. They were said to be the best pair of mules in Hardin county, Ky.

A large hog was recently slaughtered by L R Huffman, of Centreville, Ky., that made 250 lbs lard and 175 lbs sausage.

This hog was a farrowed March 4, 1900, weighed on foot 800 lbs.

And was a pure Poland China from the herd of George Clayton, of Hutchison, Ky.

Why will some farmers persist in feeding their valuable grain to rants and scrubs?

PHIL HUNTER COMPANY.

This troupe will appear at the courthouse on February 4, and the varied and novel attractions are pleasing the public all over the country. They deserve a large audience. Mr. Hunter's clever work in magic and ledgerdean, astonishes the audience, his feats appearing beyond the natural.

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WE HAVE A FEW SIZES LEFT, SPECIAL STYLES LADIES' PRINCESS PERFECTION SHOES, WE WILL CLOSE OUT AT \$1.50 PER PAIR, FORMER PRICE WAS \$2.25. LOGAN DRY GOODS CO. 16-21

AS SOON AS THE RAT FINDS HE IS TRAPPED HE LOSES ALL INTEREST IN THE LITTLE PIECE OF CHEESE THAT CAUSED HIS DOWNFALL.

BAKED CELERY.

In winter when the choice of fresh vegetables is more or less limited, baked celery is very nice. Cut up the celery as for salad, and stew in salted water for ten minutes. Drain off the water, add a pint of milk, a roux of flour, and butter to thicken it, pepper and salt, and simmer for a few minutes. Butter a shallow dish, and strew the bottom with fine bread-crumbs. Beat one egg, and pour into the celery and put into the baking-dish. Strew bread-crumbs over the top and bake for 20 minutes.—N.Y. Post.

WANTED Agents to sell Tea, Coffee, Spices, Baking Powder and Extracts for the largest importing house in the U.S. Liberal commission to agents and large inducements to customers. Good income to any one who will spend a few hours a day. Address, A. E. WALESBY ADVERTISING AGENCY, Columbia Bldg., 5th & Main, Louisville, Ky. 4.

NOTICE TO CR EDITORS.

All persons having claims against the estate of C. M. Jenkins, assigned, will please present them properly verified to my attorney, Wm. Herndon, at Lancaster, or myself at Marion, Garrard county, Ky.

JOHN A. WOOD, Assignee. 1-34

HOPED TO FRIGHTEN HER.



Every Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is Warranted.

We guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, coughs, colds; croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. For sale by all Druggists.

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When a woman arrives three minutes late at a railway station she imagines the engineer saw her coming and pulled out for spite.—Chicago News.

Croup.

The peculiar cough which indicates croup, is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Do not waste valuable time in experimenting with untried remedies, but no matter how highly they may be recommended, but give this medicine as directed and all symptoms of croup will quickly disappear. For sale by all Druggists.

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AN IRISH HUMORIST ONCE SAID: "The best joke I ever wrote I forgot before I could write it down."

FOR A BAD TASTE IN THE MOUTH TAKE A FEW DOSES OF CHAMBERLAIN'S STOMACH AND LIVER TABLETS. PRICE 25 CENTS.

MR. REUBEN ECK—I SAW YOU GOING INTO THE FAIR HAIR EMPORIUM.—PHILADELPHIA NEWS.

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